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News! News!

A few interested persons have found out the truth of the inner workings of The BLAIRMORE CASH STORES. After guessing at our sales, expenses and interest on investment, they bemoan the fact to the people of the Pass that we are NOT MAKING MONEY. We have been trying to advertise this fact for four months. We are satisfied with a workman's wage, expenses and interest on investment. The other man is trying to take from you working men wages, interest, and a good "stake" besides.

When you hear of your neighbor owing money to your grocer, REMEMBER! you are helping to carry this debt. Therefore, deal at

THE CASH STORE

Blairmore Liquor Store

THE LIQUOR STORE OF QUALITY

CHINESE MEN

hail the superiority of our WINES and WHISKEYS and say that even

Sam Suay

does not take the place of our WINES & WHISKEYS as a wholesome and nutritious beverage



Phone Your Orders To No. 45 and You Can Depend on Prompt Delivery.

M. Rosse

Proprietor

Open 9 a.m. Close 9 p.m. Saturdays 9:30 p.m.

Phone 26

C. HISCOCKS & Co.

The Exclusive Grocers

Fresh on Thursday

Tomatoes
Cabbage
Parsnips
FINE STOCK.

Lettuce
Turnips
Carrots
TRY SOME

From now on our store closes at 1 p.m. Wednesdays.

Don't Forget The Place :---

C. Hiscocks & Co.

Between 8th and 9th Avenues
Victoria Street

BLAIRMORE, - ALBERTA

The Cunard Line

Fast Trans-Atlantic Steamship Service

Large and up-to-date Ships. Passenger accommodation unexcelled.

Agents at European ports to look after passengers landing or boarding.

For rates, etc., apply to

T. EDE, - Agent

BLAIRMORE, ALBERTA

A warm wave is visiting the eastern states and already many deaths have resulted from the visit of that heat wave.

John D. Rockefeller would be broke if he should spend his entire income trying to prepare a better medicine than Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy for diarrhoea, dysentery or bowel complaints. It is simply impossible, and so says everyone that has used it. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Get high enough up and you will be above the fog and while the men down in it are squabbling as to whether there is anything outside the mist, you, from your sunny station, will see the far-off coast, happily catch some whiff of perfume from their shores, and see some glinting of a glory upon the shining turrets of "the city that built foundations."

BRISCO'S THE STORE FOR MEN

Victoria Street

Blairmore, Alta.

Successor to Smith & Hargreaves, - The Corner Store

Foster Says : -- "After the 25th we will have nice warm weather!"
It is right! Believe him and come and buy a Good Straw Hat, or some light Summer Underwear--or I will tell you what we will have on Saturday -- Some Nice Soft Shirts for summer

WILL SPEND MUCH MONEY

On Their Immense and Valuable Coal Properties in The Pass.

WEST CANADIAN COLLIERIES

Will Have Well Equipped Mines
-President Arrives from France

That the visit of Mr. A. Wicart, president of the West Canadian Collieries, Limited, to Blairmore has a very significant meaning will be in a remarkably short time become plain to the most careless observer. The mines at Blairmore, Lillo and Bellevue will be equipped with life saving apparatus and with every possible convenience for the miners. More machinery will be installed, large forces of men will be employed and larger outputs of coal will be made.

In our interview with Mr. Wicart, on Wednesday, we were informed that considerably more French capital will be brought into Blairmore as well as into Lillo and Bellevue, where the West Canadian Collieries have immense coal lands which make them the largest owners of coal lands in The Pass. It is the intention of this enterprising company to make, as one of their things, extensive improvements on their several mining plants in The Pass. When our readers consider the fact that those mines and their equipments in their present condition compare favorably with any others in this province, it is plain to all that to make still further improvements will mean that the company will leave nothing undone to make their coal mining plants perfect and up-to-date in every particular.

Accompanying Mr. Wicart are Mr. A. Ghesquier, secretary, and Mr. M. Mattier, consulting engineer of the West Canadian Collieries, all from France. Those gentlemen are assisting Mr. Wicart in planning big developments for his company here.

Besides the extensive work which will be carried on in the immediate vicinity of the mines, the West Canadian Collieries will have erected another large number of commodious and beautiful dwelling houses, stores, office buildings, etc., on their new sub-division at the west end of Blairmore. Mr. Wicart is encouraging the introduction of new industries into Blairmore, and promises that ere long factories providing employment for hundreds of honest workmen will be established here. Then it will become still plainer that "Blairmore is the industrial centre of the Crow's Nest Pass."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier arrived in Liverpool at noon on Friday last.

Never hesitate about giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to children. It contains no opium or other narcotics and can be given with implicit confidence. As a quick cure for coughs and colds to which children are susceptible, it is unsurpassed. Sold by druggists everywhere.

Contract Awarded to Dawson and Green

There was a special meeting of the Blairmore village council held on Saturday evening last when the tenders for digging and piping surface connections of water pipes were opened and considered. There were four tenders, and were as follows for half inch pipe and for an average of thirty feet: Dawson and Green, \$16.05; Crow's Nest Pass Hardware, \$16.80; Pemberton and Hodson, \$17.58; E. Morino, \$18.00. For one inch pipe and for an average of twenty-two feet, the prices submitted were as follows: Dawson and Green, \$14.50; Pemberton and Hodson, \$16.00; Crow's Nest Pass Hardware, \$18.48; E. Morino, \$18.65.

It was moved by T. Frayer, seconded by L. Duff that the contract for water connections from the main to the lot line be awarded to Dawson and Green and that the council draw up a contract and present same to the successful tenders for the purpose of attaching their signatures thereto. This was carried.

Head Syndicate Building Road

As reported in a recent issue of this paper, the Blairmore Board of Trade had considered the matter of having a road built from Blairmore, straight south to the South Fork of the Old Man river, and decided that such a connection between Blairmore and the vast coal properties at the South Fork would be of great benefit to all the towns of The Pass, and that they had asked the government to send an engineer over the ground with a view to having a wagon road built there as soon as possible.

The part of this road which the Alberta government would be expected to build does not look such a big undertaking now as it did several weeks ago when this matter was first talked of. Leslie Hill, one of the principle shareholders in the Head Syndicate, Limited, owners of extensive coal properties, states in a letter to W. A. Beebe that his company are making a trail from Lynx creek to section 16, township 7, range 4, west of the 5th meridian. The Head Syndicate built a trail some years ago from Blairmore to section 16. Mr. Hill says, "by repairing the old trail from Blairmore to section 16 there would be a good trail direct from Blairmore to Lynx creek and to the South Fork."

Blairmore Opera House

Work on the large opera house is progressing favorably. Quite a large number of people have during the past few days visited the place where Frayer & Sinclair have a number of men engaged rushing this building to completion, and have all expressed their pleasure of seeing such a splendid building being erected in Blairmore--the centre of The Pass. The mangle flooring has arrived, the seats and scenery have been ordered, and the building will be ready to open about the first of July.

The Dominion parliament adjourned on Friday night last. The house will be opened and reciprocity will be again discussed on July 18.

WILL IMPROVE POWER PLANT

Rocky Mountain Cement Company Will Install More Machinery and

GIVE BETTER LIGHT SERVICE.

Contract Has Already Been Let Will Be Sure to Give Entire Satisfaction

Owing to the fast growing population and the consequent large increase of buildings in Blairmore, the present lighting and power plant is becoming inadequate to supply the demands, and it is found that some improvement must be effected in the near future if a satisfactory service is to be given the town of Blairmore.

It has always been the desire of the Rocky Mountain Cement Company to satisfy its patrons, and knowing that the present electric light service, which they supply the town, is now perhaps not all that it might be, they have decided to do all possible to meet the requirements of the people of this town, and have already let the contract for additional electric lighting apparatus, consisting of 2,000 volt, 3 phase, 125 K. V. A. alternating current generator, exciter and all auxiliary connections for same.

This machinery will cost several thousand dollars and will be installed immediately upon arrival. By this the plant will be considerably improved and the service is sure to be most satisfactory, giving us one of the best electric light and power plant in this district.

Narrow Escape

What came near resulting in a very serious accident occurred at the west end of Blairmore on Saturday morning last. Several men were at work clearing land for the West Canadian Collieries when a fire which they had made for the purpose of burning up the rubbish, reached a stump of a tree under which were between thirty-five and forty sticks of dynamite. The fire ignited that large compound of nitro-glycerine and silicious earth. There was a big explosion, the report of which was heard all over the town. Three men who were working nearby and who were totally ignorant of the fact that near their feet were dangerous explosives of sufficient quantity to hurl more than a score of men into regions unknown, were slightly injured; some of the houses nearby received a severe shaking, smashing eleven windows and effecting a few other minor damages. It was a great wonder that more serious damage had not occurred. The dynamite was left there a week or so ago by some careless Italians.

Must Hang

On Saturday evening last, Thomas Mitchell Robertson was found guilty of murdering Tucker Reuch, about a year ago, and was sentenced by Chief Justice Harvey to be hanged at Calgary on July 20th.

Alberta Trading Co.

TELEPHONE 147
Headquarters For

High-Class Groceries Fresh Fruit & Vegetables

This week we will have California Loose Lettuce, Radishes, Green Onions, Fresh Rhubarb, Cauliflower, Cucumbers, Bananas, Oranges, Lemons and Cocoanuts

Our Prices will suit you. The quality of goods will more than please you.

WATCH OUR WINDOW EACH WEEK

ALBERTA TRADING CO.

The Store That Pleases

Gales & Hamel

Blairmore, - Alta

W. A. Beebe

Real Estate and Insurance

Broker in Mines and Mining Stocks

Houses for sale or rent and rents collected.

Issuer of Marriage Licenses and Notary Public

VICTORIA STREET

Blairmore, Alta.

We Have Farm Lands For Sale

Farm Lands, ranging from 100 acres to 1700 acres, in and adjoining The Pass, for sale on easy terms. Also, B.C. Fruit Lands, situated on Vancouver Island and in the interior, that we have personally inspected.

James M. Carter
Real Estate Auctioneer

Lundbreck, - Alta.

Blairmore Shoeing Forge

R. SMALLWOOD, Proprietor
Formerly owned by H. Geho

First-Class Work guaranteed.

Prompt attention given to all work.

Experience in all branches of the trade.

Never Slip Shoes in stock.

Blairmore - Alberta

The Al G. Barnes circus will give two performances in Coleman on Wednesday next.

MADE WELL STRAIGHT

By Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound

Toronto. I gladly give you my testimonial in favor of your wonderful medicine. Last October I wrote to you for advice as I was completely run down, had bearing down sensation in the lower part of bowels, backache, and pain in the side. I also suffered terribly from gas.

After receiving your directions, I followed them closely and am now entirely free from pain in back and bowels, and am stronger in every way.

I also took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound before my baby was born, and I recommend it highly to all pregnant women. Mrs. K. E. COOK, Maple Creek, Sask.

Another Woman Cured
Maple Creek, Sask. I have used Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I am now in perfect health. I was troubled with pains every month. I know other women who suffer as I did, and I will gladly recommend your medicine to them. You may publish this if you think it will help others. K. E. COOK, Maple Creek, Sask.

If you belong to that countless army of women who suffer from some form of female illness, don't hesitate to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs.

AGENTS

One live man in every town to take orders for Made-to-Measure Clothing. Largest list of samples in Canada and best value. Good Commissions. Fall Samples will be ready on the 10th of July.

CROWN TAILORS CO., Ltd., Canada's Best Tailors. Toronto.

Special Notice

TO COUNTRY MERCHANTS AND AGENTS.

Agents Wanted by S. SHIRAZI, 390 Princess St., Winnipeg, to purchase for him scrap copper and brass, cast and wrought iron, old rubber boots and shoes, and crown, lager square, pint and whiskey casks.

ABSORBINE

Will relieve Rheumatism, strained muscles, sprains, lumbago, neuralgia, headache, toothache, earache, sore throat, and all other pains. It is a powerful antiseptic and disinfectant. It is a powerful antiseptic and disinfectant. It is a powerful antiseptic and disinfectant.

Table Silver

Grace, beauty and quality are all combined in silver articles of this brand.

1847 ROGERS BROS.

Is the highest grade of table silver. Many designs to choose from in this series.

"Silver Plate that Wins"

Silverware, bowls, tea sets, etc., made in the U.S.A.

MERIDIAN ARTS CO.

Sole by LEADING DEALERS

Boys' Baseball Outfit Free

Here! We are giving a candy Baseball Outfit valued at \$2.50 to the boys who buy a box of our candy.

How do you like the new oatmeal soap?

"It's the best I ever used. It cleanses the skin without the harshness of ordinary soap."

"Scents nourishing," the customer replied, with a splutter.

"Judge."

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BREAKING THE ICE.

Clearing the St. Lawrence is a most important work for Canada.

On Feb. 12th, the steamer Lady Grey and Montcalm began work breaking up the ice at Portneuf, and on March 20th, the Montcalm tied up at the Government pier at Sorel, leaving behind a clear channel for eighty miles to Quebec, to a place less than 1,200 feet wide.

For the great part of this distance clear hand ice, some 20 to 30 inches thick was encountered. Good time was made breaking through ice of this character, one trip making a record of 41.4 miles in a day. The best day for the two ships working together was 41.4 miles.

The operation of breaking the channel through this character is as fascinating to watch as it is simple in its nature. One ship backs away from the ice for a few lengths and then steams directly head at about 12 miles an hour, strikes the ice with a grinding, crouching sound and ploughs her way into it for a couple of hundred feet, until the momentum of the heavy steel hull is overcome and she comes to a full stop. The length of the channel is then cut into the solid ice. Great chunks are smashed down under her hull and 20 floating down the stream. Engines are now reversed, and while she is backing out, the other steamer is coming alongside for another blow at the ice. And so it goes all day long from place to place, the top layer of ice becomes more difficult. Many of these ridges which are formed by the ice piling one layer on top of another are 10 to 20 feet high. When they are struck, the ice is broken into small pieces, and it is when ridges of ice 10, 15, or even 20 feet high are struck, that the work becomes more difficult. Many of these ridges which are formed by the ice piling one layer on top of another are 10 to 20 feet high. When they are struck, the ice is broken into small pieces, and it is when ridges of ice 10, 15, or even 20 feet high are struck, that the work becomes more difficult.

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Not Altogether Perfect
Griggs (protesting): "You don't mean to claim that your memory is absolutely perfect?"
Briggs: "Well, I can honestly say that at the present moment I cannot remember anything that I have ever forgotten."

EVERY WOMAN SHOULD READ THIS LETTER

And Take Mrs. Ripley's Advice
Lots of women are suffering from the same trouble, when they need not do so. Mrs. Ripley had such faithful pains in her back that she could not do her housework. She tells how she cured herself.

"I cannot refrain from writing you about the benefits I have received from taking GIN PILLS. I suffered dreadfully with my back and have suffered with it for twenty years. I tried everything but got no relief until I bought GIN PILLS. I have taken six boxes of GIN PILLS, and now I have not the slightest pain in my back. I am now 45 years of age and feel as well as ever I did in my life. There is no other way to hold a place with GIN PILLS for curing Pain in the Back to which women are subject."

Mrs. Millanor P. Ripley.
Write for GIN PILLS at our expense. We will send you a sample of our pills. We sell GIN PILLS at 50c a box—six for \$2.50—and money refunded if they fail to cure. National Drug and Chemical Co., Dept. N.U., Toronto, 55

The Original
Gin Pills made by
National Drug and
Chemical Co., Ltd.,
Toronto, are sold
only in this box.

"I'm madder than Murphy."
"What's the cause?" "My wife wore a harem skirt down Broadway, from 14th to 59th Street. She said, 'Well!' And nobody noticed her!"

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WHAT EVERY WOMAN DREAMS TO KNOW

READY REFERENCE BOOK
Containing over 300 pages of valuable information, which every girl contemplating marriage ought to know and no married woman can afford to be without. Important subjects more fully explained with full page illustrations. This valuable book will be mailed in plain wrapper post paid to any address in Canada upon receipt of one dollar (\$1.00).

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"Gustave's letters to me are exceedingly dull and commonplace," said one fair girl.
"Don't you know why?" responded the other.
"Gustave once served on the jury in a case of promise case,"—Washington Star.

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Shuts Him Off
"What makes you laugh so long and heartily whenever Johnson tells one of his informal old chestnuts?" we ask of our friend. "Why, last night you kept laughing a full 10 minutes after he told one that Noah refused to carry on the ark."

"I know," he replied. "But, you see, while I am laughing he can't go right into another one."—Chicago Post.

A Pill For All Seasons—Winter and summer, in any latitude, whether in torrid zone or Arctic temperature, Purgative Vegetable Pills can be depended upon to do their work. The druggists will find them a friend always and should carry them with him everywhere. They are made to keep their freshness and purity in any climate, and are a quality not possessed in many pills now on the market.

"Talk about man's," exclaimed the unfortunate. "What has man ever done for woman?"

"He's furnished her with a model she's trying darned hard to imitate," came a voice from the rear of the hall.—Boston Transcript.

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Dear Sirs:—YOUR MINARD'S LINIMENT is the best remedy for sore throat, colds and all ordinary ailments. It never fails to relieve and cure promptly.

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Port Mulgrave.

Joe Tykesbury's Farewell

Change the Whole Course of His Life

By CLARISSA MACKIE
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When Joe Tykesbury opened the letter and read that his step-uncle on his mother's side had died without near relatives and had left him the considerable sum of \$10,000 in cash there was not a soul to whom he confided the astounding news. Close locked behind his compressed lips was hidden a secret that would have provided the people of Little River with a measureless source of interest for the coming winter months.

Joe kept his secret, and no one was to hear the when he closed the little harness shop and spent several days in New York. But when he returned from the city and proceeded to sell the contents of his shop at auction prices, when he presented the furniture contained in his lonely bachelor abode to the thriffling Nickels family, who lived on the edge of the village, and finally when the minister dropped a word in the midst of the Ladies Aid society's Wednesday worship that Little River was at very straight and took notice.

"Yes," said Mr. Neeman, thoughtfully stroking his scanty beard. "Joe says he's tired of Little River, so he is going to New York to live. He seems to feel rather bitter about the way he's been received in our village. He says he's lived here fifteen years, and he isn't much better acquainted than one who has just arrived. That's very nice his own fault, then," cried Miss Pansy Pollard warmly. "He's the most amiable man in Little River. My conscience is clear about Joe Tykesbury. I've done the best I could to make it pleasant for him in church and out, and I've suppressed giggles from the young girls in a distant corner closed Miss Pansy's lips into a grim frown. Her small brown eyes shot little angry sparks at the giggles.

"That is very true, Miss Pollard," soothed the minister peacefully. "I'm sure we have all done our best to make Joe feel at home in our midst." Mrs. Deacon Spinning bit her thread with a sharp click of her false teeth and folded up the program upon which she had completed. "Seems like I'll never forgive myself if Joe Tykesbury goes away from Little River without me about the way he's been treated. I don't believe any of you really know just how kind hearted he is. Only he's a dreadful shy, and it's a mistake to him."

"He was terrible noncommittal," announced Pansy Pollard, with the air of one who is telling a scandal. "Many's the time I've sat and pondered what Joe meant when he said such and such a thing. Most times I reckon he didn't mean anything at all," said Mrs. Spinning cheerfully. "I take it Joe was shy. But, kind, very kind, and he treated him as if he was dead and waiting to be buried? If Joe Tykesbury don't like the way he's been treated here he's not going to stay. I'll tell you for nobody. I'm sorry he's going, for I do like him. Once he shut up his shop and came over and helped Henry get in his hay when it was threatened a storm, and another time when Lina had the measles he went clean over to the Ford place and stayed there, and didn't want to hear a word of this or that."

"And giving away his furniture—that's the queerest thing I've ever seen," said the minister. "He's likely he's going to board when he gets to the city," murmured Anne Baker. "Maybe he is going to get married. Now I come to think of it, I wonder a wife if that was the secret of his going. He's going to get married to a widow, isn't he? I'm going a houseful of furniture left by her first husband, wouldn't have need for Joe's things?" Mrs. Spinning beamed around the busy circle. "I'm mighty glad to think he's going to get married. He's just the nicest kind of man. He'll make some one a good husband. I'm disappointed, though, if he'd hoped he'd pick a wife from Little River."

There was a long silence after this broken only by requests for the "sixty white thread" or the "forty black." Until at last Mr. Willard, at whose house they had met, came and announced that refreshments would be served in the dining room, and so for the time being Joe Tykesbury and his affairs were forgotten.

Joe himself, having given away his furniture and disposed of his business, sat in his lonely room in the best of the village afforded and wondered what he would do next. "I'll shake the dust of this here village from my feet," said Joe merrily, trying his reflection in the wavy mirror with a gloomy frown. "There won't be one person in the village when I'm gone. If I'd been treated decent here I'd never thought of leaving Little River. I'd argue that I'd have the village good to spend my days here. I could build a house as fine as Lawyer Dege and live on my interest money. The women said I never noticed no much, and I ain't a bad looking fellow. Joe reddened as he lifted his eyes at the reflection in the mirror. Good looking in the glass—growing brown hair, brown eyes, steady and trustworthy—yes, but in the street and get with a certain difference in

their depths; a deep nose and a wide, well set mouth showing reserve in its lines. In fact, Joe Tykesbury was a handsome man, and although he was forty years old there was not a thread of white in his abundant hair.

Suddenly he arose and, approaching the glass, looked at his reflection with a smile of order. "I'll go to New York tomorrow night and now, after I've had my supper, I'll go goodby to some of the folks that I've had acquaintance with."

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"Henry," said said, addressing her husband, "but your supper quick and be about what I planned. Tonight at 9 o'clock—everybody, you understand?"

Mrs. Spinning nodded and frowned and smiled at her husband.

"I'll see to it, Maria," he chuckled softly. Then, addressing their guest, he said, "When you are going to leave Little River, Joe?"

"Tomorrow night," said Joe, helping himself to a slice of pie. "I'm going to a great extent on milk, which contains chlorine and has a bleaching effect."

"Which you were going to stay," said the deacon cordially. "You'll be missed, Joe."

"Missed?" scoffed Mr. Tykesbury, forgetting his diffidence in his astonishment. "Who'll miss me?"

"Everybody in Little River," said the deacon quietly. "There's few here but what you've done a good turn for some time or other. You've forgotten 'em, I suppose, but folks haven't."

"They like to see you around, and if you wasn't so bashful you'd be the most popular man in the village, not even excepting the postmaster, Mr. Harris."

"Of course he would! You look so stern, Joe, that it seems to some folks that you're a story teller of the House in commemoration of his golden wedding anniversary."

"Mr. Harris," he said, "I'll go on that errand if you'll excuse me. Please say later!" With that the deacon disappeared. Well, Maria, I'll go on that errand if you'll excuse me. Please say later!"

"Do you recollect my niece, Charlotte Wayland?" she asked as she stepped into the front parlor and lighted the prim hung lamp on the center table. "She was visiting me ten years ago."

Joe flushed blue. Indeed, he did remember the pretty girl at whom he scarcely dared glance in church, yet to that instant the bell rang and he heard, much of the silence and loneliness of the past ten years might be laid at the door of his heartlessness after the pretty Charlotte had departed.

"What?" he asked, as he heard another that she had married.

"She is in Little River. Come to visit my sister, Charlotte's a widow and as pretty a one as I ever saw. I don't think I seem pretty to you, but I'm sure I'm not as good looking as your Charlotte." Mrs. Spinning smiled and showed a photograph of Charlotte into Joe's hand. "That's Charlotte. She's coming around tonight, and you'll have to see her home."

Joe's face grew red and he looked at her with a slight chuckle of delight. Mrs. Spinning proceeded to answer it. "I don't think I've ever loved a man with my eyes, now, however, no longer shy or diffident. Their depths contained a new power, a new light, a new courage. He was determined to fight for and win—Charlotte Wayland that was!"

The door opened, and into the room streamed a merry crowd of men, women and children. All the folks in Little River seemed gathered together under the old tree and became friends. Joe swallowed a sob as he realized that they had gathered to say goodby to him to see how sorry they were to have him leaving Little River, to give him a send-off and to say to him that every last thing in Little River was always out for Joe Tykesbury.

"That was the beginning of the happiest evening Joe had ever known. Before it ended the minister dropped his cloak of reserve, and snatched his fellow townsman met him more than half way. A strange new joy came in his heart, and the old friend Charlotte had blushed beautifully when their eyes met and he had asked the pleasure of his company home and been accepted. All at once his plans changed with lightning rapidity. He would remain in Little River. He would build the house that Charlotte would win her. He was glad that his inheritance was still a secret.

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AN INTERESTING THEORY.

As to Why the Negro Is Black and the Indian Red.

One question which always has interested scientists is "What makes the Caucasian white, the negro black, and the Indian red?" The popularly accepted explanation is that the races of black and red skins are made so as "a result of continuous exposure to the sun."

A learned German professor, Dr. A. Bergfeld, came forward with the idea that it is all a matter of heredity. Dr. Bergfeld's theory is that in the animal and insect world color is often determined by food, and he argues that by chemical process the same results are shown in the different human races.

He thinks that the original man was black, as his principal diet must have been vegetable. Fruit and vegetables contain manganese which alloy themselves with iron, making a dark brown combination. Bergfeld says that negroes who add meat and milk to their vegetable fare are never dark so those who only eat vegetables.

Indians are red because they have absorbed the red coloring in the blood of animals killed for food.

Mongolian yellow comes from the red substances in the blood of animals killed for food. They descend from dark fur eating races who penetrated into the plains of North America and lived to a great extent on milk, which contains chlorine and has a bleaching effect.

The Caucasians were another branch who became still whiter by eating salt to the water. Common salt is a strong chloride and is a powerful agent in bleaching the skin. The effect, he declares, is seen in negro children who have been brought up on a white diet. They are no whiter than their kindred who have not abandoned vegetarianism.

A Poetic Request.

Mr. Henry David Erskine, C.Y.O., Sergeant-at-Arms of the British House of Commons, will be the recipient of several presentations from admirers in the House in commemoration of his golden wedding anniversary. Mr. Erskine was born on January 5, 1838, and was educated at Harrow. He served in the 50th Regiment and the Scots Fusilier Guards from 1854 to 1861, took part in the Crimea, and was groom of the robes to the late Queen Victoria for over thirty years. He has been Sergeant-at-Arms for twenty-six years, and his reminiscences of the House over the lengthy period would make fascinating reading.

One of the most exciting incidents during his tenure of the post was the historic free fight of July 1893, more exciting even than the expulsion of Mr. Bradlaugh. Mr. Erskine's endeavor to restore order were pathetic. In the midst of the confusion he went up to a well-known Nationalist member who was with his hat on just at the gateway and politely requested it to be uncovered. He received a courteous refusal, on the ground that it was a scene both hands were required to be unencumbered for self-defense if necessary.

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ACQUITS BROTHER-IN-LAW IS LOOKING FOR INVESTMENTS.

Mr. Edward Tennant is an Artist by Nature and Like Mrs. Aquith Pursues—Tennant, Came From Scotland, and One of the Family Was a Friend of Robert Burns.

Mr. Edward Tennant, at present in Canada in connection with investments, who has just been raised to the peerage, will bring to the discharge of his duties plenty of business capacity, which he inherited from his father along with his artistic leaning. Lady Tennant, his brother, Mr. George Wyndham, has a taste for letters, and shares with her husband a dislike to

the rushing, scrambling life of London. Gardening, fishing, and other delights of the country, appeal to them both much more strongly. The new peer adds to his other gifts that of being one of the most expert anglers of the day. The Tennants came originally from the "Land of Burns" from Alloway on the Doon. In the latter half of the eighteenth century there lived near Ochiltree a remarkable man, with a remarkable family. This was John Tennant, the close friend of the father of Robert Burns, and one of the witnesses to the poet's baptism. Of one of John Tennant's sons (Charles) Burns wrote: "I should be happy to have you as a son-in-law more than to have you as a son."

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CAPTURING DEER.

Relics of Ancient Fences Are Still to Be Seen in Newfoundland.

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Confidence in Rev.

W. G. Fortune

A very vile attack was recently

made on Rev. W. G. Fortune, field secretary of the

Alberta Temperance and Moral Reform League. From the

evidence adduced, after a very

careful and lengthy investigation,

it plainly appears that the

charges made against the

reverend gentleman by certain

of the liquor men of Calgary,

are entirely false and were in-

stituted by those impetuous

beings with the fruitless hope

of damaging Mr. Fortune's

character and eventually cause

him to lose the confidence of

the church and the moral pub-

lic, who would, of course, if

the charges could be proven, con-

sider him unfit for the position

which he has so long filled with

credit to himself and to the

League.

As stated in these columns a

short time ago, anybody can

soil the reputation and charac-

ter of any individual, however

pure and chaste, by uttering a

suspicion that his enemies will

readily believe and many of his

friends never hear of. No

reputation can refute a sneer

nor can human skill prevent

mischievous. The truth of that

saying has been sharply sub-

stantiated by the recent attack

made on Rev. W. G. Fortune.

Commenting on this shameful

attack, the Calgary Alber-

tan, of Friday last, says: "Pre-

senting an unbroken front to

the enemy, the executive com-

mittee of the Alberta Temper-

ance and Moral Reform League

yesterday refused to accept the

resignation of the field secre-

tary, Rev. W. G. Fortune, and

thus announced to the world

their confidence in his moral

character.

"Some time ago Mr. Fortune

was made the object of con-

siderable unpleasant notoriety,

it being alleged that he had

fallen into a trap set by mem-

bers of the Licensed Victuallers' association. According to this

With The Sages

Of late we have had numer-

ous visitors to our sanctum,

who wear smiles longer than

today and tomorrow, and judg-

ing from all appearances there

is an air of satisfaction and

pleasure displayed upon all

their countenances. In conse-

quence the pages of our sub-

scription book have been con-

stantly disturbed and the

chances of delinquency has be-

come less and less prominent.

There are yet a few names on

our list who have not "come

through," and while we are

"standing off" we are still re-

ceiving and pleased to ac-

knowledge your every favor,

and our prayers are appealing

to the wisdom of the solitary

delinquent.

Editorial Notes

A good name is rather to be

chosen than great riches.

A little warm weather would

not do any harm just now.

"Take heed what ye hear" as

to slanderous reports and in-

sinuations. There is a vast

amount of defamation in the

world such as was recently

hurled upon Rev. C. W. For-

tune.

In some of the Atlantic states

the thermometer is hovering

around 100 degrees in the

shade. If we had such warm

weather here there would be

less room to complain about

the coal miners strike.

We wish to state that a small

piece of Straits Settlements

money, which mysteriously

came into our possession a day

or so ago, is now at this office

awaiting its owner.

We believe that T. B. Brandon

is not a shareholder in the

Alberta Star, Cardston, as was

at first feared by some of the

people who know him best. We

hope for the benefit of the

present proprietor and the

good people of Cardston that

the late editor of the Coleman

Miner will never be given a

chance to dictate the policy of

that creditable weekly, unless

they want a repetition of some

of his other defunct attempts.

We believe that the Alberta

Star will be safely guarded by

Mr. Burton, and that he will as

he has always done, give his

readers a paper that will be a

credit to himself and to that

great wheat growing district.

We hope that he has got T. B.

Brandon safely out of the way.

Mr. Wicart Is Here

Alphonse Wicart, president of

the West Canadian Collieries,

arrived in town from Lille, France,

on Tuesday. Besides holding the

Happenings in and

Around Blairmore

T. Hughes was up from Beaver

Creek on Friday.

Michel Ross left on Wednesday

night for Macleod.

H. F. Weber returned on Satur-

day from a trip to Nelson.

W. D. Moore, of Winnipeg,

arrived in town on Monday.

E. Nimans, of London, Ont.,

came to town on Monday evening.

F. Hodson, of Pincher Creek,

was in town on Friday evening

last.

J. H. Lee has been appointed

choir master at the Central Baptist

church.

F. M. Pinckney left on Wednes-

day to attend the supreme court at

Macleod.

A fresh stock of fancy choco-

lates, cigars and tobacco at

Murray's.

T. Eds went to Macleod on Tues-

day to attend the sitting of the

supreme court there.

Mrs. Marshall, of Calgary, is

spending a few weeks with her

daughter, Mrs. J. S. Murray, in

Blairmore.

On Saturday we will have

fresh strawberries and a good

assortment of greens—Mur-

ray's.

Owing to the inclemency of the

weather, the Cowley Empire Day

sports have been postponed indef-

initely.

Miss A. Pendergast, of the

Central Telephone office left Mon-

day to spend a week's vacation at

Calgary.

J. M. Carter and family have

taken up residence in Blairmore,

having moved here from Bellevue

this week.

Alderman A. Morrison, H.

Smith, W. Graham and J. Stephen-

son were down from Coleman on

Saturday.

J. Smith, purchasing agent for

the West Canadian Collieries, re-

turned from a business trip to

Winnipeg on Saturday.

We are sorry that in our hurry

we neglected to inform our read-

ers last week that the population

of Blairmore had been figured out as

1887.

The Ladies Aid of the Central

Baptist church, will hold their

regular weekly meeting at the

home of Mrs. J. Burrows, on

Thursday, at 3 p.m.

Andre Ghequiere, secretary of

the West Canadian Collieries,

arrived in town from Lille, France,

on Tuesday. He will remain here

for several days.

M. B. Dawson and R. C. Green

have formed a partnership and

will conduct a plumbing and

heating business in a building

which will shortly be moved from

near the Mercantile store to Seventh

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Happenings in and Around Frank

Miss M. Moore, of Fernie, came to town on Monday.

Adam Link, of Lethbridge, was in Frank on Monday.

David Scott, of Kipp, was in Frank on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Moore went to Spokane on Tuesday.

James Ashworth, of Vancouver, was in town on Tuesday.

Rev. A. B. N. Crowther, of Michel, visited Frank on Saturday.

Rev. K. Kingston went to Calgary on Monday to attend the Methodist conference.

Miss Sarah Simpson, while playing at school on Monday, had the misfortune of falling and breaking her collar bone.

John McTavish, of Cranbrook, and Wilmer Johnston, of Vancouver, were registered at the sanatorium this week.

Amongst those who dined at the sanatorium on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill and several of their friends from Hillcrest.

G. L. Pedlar, editor of the Fernie Free Press, arrived at the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium on Saturday and returned to Fernie on Tuesday evening.

Miss Paul will preach in Knox Methodist church here, on Sunday evening next. This will be a new thing for Frank and is sure to attract a large crowd.

Mr. Melzer, of Belgium, who is residing in town, is supervising the installation of considerable machinery at the West Canadian Colliery at Blairmore.

J. L. Gates, proprietor of the King Edward hotel, Fernie, arrived in town on Saturday and registered at the sanatorium. He returned to Fernie on Tuesday.

E. T. Saunders, proprietor of the Pincher Creek Hotel, and Mrs. Saunders spent Sunday at the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium. They left on Monday for Spokane and the Pacific coast.

S. V. Paterson, who has been secretary of the Rocky Mountain Sanatorium since the opening, has tendered his resignation to take effect on May 31st and will leave immediately for Calgary. He will be succeeded here by P. H. Dular, of the Canadian Coal Consolidated. "Pat" has many friends here who will regret his departure.

Chinaman Wears First Straw Hat

A drooped head, swaying a pig tail and wearing a whole fed of grass as a sun shade formed the introduction into this town of the 1911 Spring straw hats, when Len Tuck, the popular proprietor of the Sam Lee laundry made his appearance on Main street the other day. Even Chinamen lose no time in preserving their complexions from being tanned by the brilliant sun of Southern Alberta.

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Blairmore Wins At Baseball

Blairmore won their first victory as baseball at Michel on the 21st. The game was a good exhibition of ball playing. The final score

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Blairmore 2 0 1 1 0 2 0 1 0 7
Michel 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 3 0 5

—BRISCO.

Coleman Notes

Mrs. R. B. Buchanan returned from a visit to friends at Vancouver on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cardno left on Saturday for Michel where Mr. Cardno will manage the business owned by Mr. H. F. Weber.

The town council have quite a number of men at work in grading and repaving the streets. Fourth street leading from the tennis court to the hill has just been widened and graded and will compare favorably with some of the best streets in many of the large cities. The avenue at the approach of the town at the east end is being improved and gotten into a first class condition. A bridge is being built over the McGillivray creek at the west end, of Coleman and will be ready for use in the course of a few days.

Plans are being prepared for the building of a large skating rink about five yards north north west of the present one. The ice will be one hundred and seventy feet long and eighty feet wide. The new rink will be covered and the interior will be protected entirely from the snow. It will have seats placed along on the sides, besides having an end gallery and its seating capacity will be sufficient to accommodate about six hundred spectators, when completed, Coleman will have one of the largest and best skating rinks in the province. The present rink will be torn down.

Ben Gorlick has left for England. The long continued illness has discouraged him, but he says when things pick up he will come back here again. The call of the west is irresistible.

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On Friday last Mrs. Jones met with an accident whilst driving in Cowley. The buggy was overturned resulting in the three occupants being thrown heavily to the ground. Mrs. Jones, unfortunately fell on her head and received cuts on the head and nose. The wounds are progressing favorably, having been attended to by Dr. Johnston, of Lundbreck and MacKenzie, of Bellevue.

The Coleman-Bellevue league football match played last Saturday at Coleman was the centre of attraction for this part of the Pass. Many went to see the game from the adjoining towns and some walked 8 miles from Bellevue rather than miss the sport. In some respects the result was disappointing. During the first twenty minutes of play the Coleman team showed splendid attack, but utterly failed to keep up their good form. On the other hand the Bellevue team improved gradually keeping the game constantly in the Coleman half. The result was a draw 1-1.

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Happenings in and Around Bellevue

The new fan is now going and is doing good work.

T. M. Burnett is still out of town visiting Winnipeg and Edmonton.

The Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Jones left for Calgary to attend the sessions of conference.

Service in the Methodist church next Sunday evening will be conducted by Mr. E. W. Christie.

Mrs. Hallworth sang the solo during service last Sunday night and was much appreciated by a good congregation.

Wm. Chappell, junior, has entered his mare, Queenie, for the Cowley races. He should make a general clean up for the event.

The case of Rex V. Smyth comes up before the supreme court at Macleod this week. The court sessions open on Thursday morning into a large list of 19 criminal cases.

Several ministers accompanied by the Rev. F. D. Jones climbed Turtle Mountain from the Blairmore side last Thursday. They report that it is not true, the crack on the north west peak is widening.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will clear the sour stomach, soothe the breath and create a healthy appetite. They promote the flow of gastric juice, thereby inducing good digestion. Sold by druggists everywhere.

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Foster, Crouther and Dorchester, forwards. One or two lacked combination but this was no doubt due to lack of practice together. In the next game which is at Bellevue, June 3rd the team will give a better showing.